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E.O.11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, NU, HO, CS
SUBJECT: FSLN ACTIVITIES

REF: STATE 303623

1. CALLED ON FONMIN GONZALO FACIO JANUARY 21 TO CONVEY MESSAGE AS INSTRUCTED REFTEL. AFTER LISTENING ATTENTIVELY, FACIO AGAIN STATED THAT GOCR SOUGHT TO AVOID PROBLEMS WITH NICARAGUA AND REMAINED FIRMLY OPPOSED TO USE OF COSTA RICAN TERRITORY FOR PREPARATION OF OR LAUNCHING OF HOSTILE ACTIONS AGAINST GON. HE SAID THAT EVEN THOUGH POLITICAL OPPOSITION HERE HAD CRITICIZED GOCR FOR "BOWING" TO SAMOZA FOLLOWING ATTACK ON SAN CARLOS AND SUBSEQUENT RIO FRIO INCIDENT, GOCR POLICY OF NOT PERMITTING USE OF ITS TERRITORY AGAINST SOMOZA REMAINS UNCHANGED. HE WAS GRATEFUL FOR INFORMATION RE REPORTS IN MANAGUA OF FSLN ACTIVITY IN COSTA RICA, SAID HE WOULD INFORM PRESIDENT ODUBER (WITH WHOM HE HAD ALREADY TALKED ON THE SUBJECT EARLIER IN THE DAY) AND STATED
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HE ALSO WOULD ASK MINISTER OF PUBLIC SECURITY TO FURTHER STRENGTHEN SURVEILLANCE/CONTROL MEASURES ALONG BORDER.

2. COMMENT: NOTWITHSTANDING GOCR'S GENUINE DESIRE TO AVOID ALLOWING FSLN TO USE COSTA RICAN TERRITORY TO ORGANIZE ATTACKS ACROSS BORDER, AGAIN IT IS WORTH

EMPHASIZING THAT GOCR HAS VERY LIMITED CAPABILITY TO
PREVENT FSLN FROM DOING JUST THAT. GOCR INTENTIONS ARE
GOOD, BUT THEY SIMPLY LACK ADEQUATE MEANS TO ENFORCE
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